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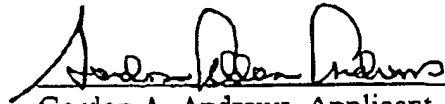
I, Gordon A. Andrews, hereby declare:

1. That I, along with Joseph E. Smith, now deceased, are the co-inventors of the above-referenced patent application.
2. That based on my knowledge of the monoclonal antibody art, the level of skill required to follow the instructions in the '465 patent application in order to make and select MoAbs 13G3 and 4E10 is a level of skill typical of those skilled in the monoclonal antibody art.
3. That a person skilled in the art of making monoclonal antibodies could make and select MoAbs 13G3 and 4E10 in their laboratory by following the procedure set

forth in the '465 patent application, without undue experimentation and using routine screening methods.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

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